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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

David W. CANNELL et al.)

Application No.: 09/838,197)

Filed: April 20, 2001)

For: COMPOSITION AND METHODS)
FOR LANTHIONIZING KERATIN)
FIBERS USING AT LEAST ONE)
ORGANIC NUCLEOPHILE AND)
AT LEAST ONE HYDROXIDE)
ION GENERATOR)

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the
Office Action of August 6, 2003. A fee of \$950.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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